

John Nixon



EDUCATION AND QUALIFICATIONS

1975 - 1978	University of Newcastle-upon-Tyne BSc (Distinction) in General Science
1978 - 1979	School of Education, University of Newcastle-upon-Tyne Post Graduate Certificate in Education
1987 - 1988	University of Newcastle-upon-Tyne Certificate of Further Professional Studies
1992 - 1997	Loughborough University MA in Education Studies (Leadership and Management)
1998 - 2000	Lincoln University PhD research: "Management Succession in International Schools" (research discontinued when new position secured.)

AWARDS

Dec 2006	Award of an MBE in the Queen's New Year Honours list, for " <i>services to education in Taiwan.</i> "
Nov 2008	Award of <i>Chevalier dans l'Ordre national du Mérite</i> – Président Sarkozy de la République Française
May 2009	Award of the <i>Order of the Brilliant Star with Grand Cordon</i> – President Ma Ying Jeou, Republic of China, Taiwan.
May 2009	Award of – <i>Honorary Citizen of Taipei</i> – Hau Lung-Bin, Mayor of Taipei City.

EMPLOYMENT

2012 – 2021	Director – The British School, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil Chief Executive role for a 2 to 18 years not-for-profit school, with 3 campus sites, around 2300 students and 637 staff.
2009 – 2011	Principal – Sha Tin College, Hong Kong
2000 – 2009	Chief Executive Officer – Taipei European School, Taiwan
1991 – 2000	Vice Principal – Doha College, Qatar, Arabian Gulf
1989 – 1991	Head of Geography Department – Doha College
1979 – 1989	Hermitage Comprehensive, Chester-le-Street, County Durham